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C O N F I D E N T I A L FREETOWN 0247

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TAGS: PINT, DM, GH, SL

SUBJ: BENIN ATTEMPTED COUP

REF: ACCRA 453

1. CUBANA AIRWAYS HAS SCHEDULED FLIGHTS TRANSITTING FREETOWN EVERY TUESDAY AND SUNDAY. UNSCHEDULED FLIGHTS LAND OFTEN, AS WELL, AVERAGING ABOUT THREE PER WEEK. ON WEDNESDAY THERE OFTEN IS AN UNSCHEDULED FLIGHT. AIRPLANE USUALLY FLOWN IS FOUR-ENGINE BRITANNIA.

2. ACCORDING TO RELIABLE SOURCE, ON JANUARY 12, CUBANA IL-18 DEPARTED FREETOWN AT 1700 HAVING FILED FLIGHT PLAN TO LUANDA WITH REFUELING STOP AT ABIDJAN. PLANE HAD 82 PEOPLE ON BOARD, ALL TRANSIT PASSENGERS.
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